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Via electronic submittal to:

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Regional Freedom of Information Officer U.S. EPA, Region 6 1445 Ross Avenue (6MD-OE) Dallas, TX 75202-2733 (214) 665-7202

RE: Request for Information pursuant to Freedom of Information Act: Hope Iron & Metal Superfund Site, located at 705 North Main Street, Hope, Arkansas

Dear Freedom of Information Act Officer:

Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552 and 40 CFR Part 2, American Electric Power Company (AEP) on behalf of Southwestern Electric Power Company ("SWEPCO") requests the information described below:

All records concerning the Hope Iron & Metal Superfund Site ("Site"), located in the vicinity of 705 North Main Street, Hope, Arkansas or possibly at 812 N. Main Street. We are not sure what the accurate address is for the Site. Our internet research indicates an EPA ID number of ARN000607050 and this ID corresponds to an address of 812 N. Main Street. Please confirm the correct address for the Site and the Request for Information.

This request includes any and all records related to the condition and prior and current use of the Site(s):

- 1) All records referencing potentially responsible parties (PRP)
- 2) Records referencing, describing or mentioning contamination

- 3) EPA's Hazard Ranking System information
- 4) Detailed information or records (EPA or other reports, vendor invoices, vouchers, and invoice descriptions) that support work, and expenses to address conditions
- 5) Information or records related to EPA's compliance with the NCP for costs
- 6) Information or records of communications between Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality
- 7) Records (including interviews) concerning the Site
- 8) Site property records
- 9) Records from EPA's CERCLIS and SEMS databases

For purposes of this request please consider records to mean information including documents, (handwritten, typed, electronic or otherwise produced), letters, memos, correspondence, notes, draft or completed forms, studies, reports, reviews, telephone conversations, interviews, recordings, faxes, drawings, photographs or other compilations from which information can be obtained whether preliminary, draft or final form.

Please send the information and records responsive to this request and the invoice for any associated copying costs to me at the address listed above. Responsive information and records can also be sent electronically to me at legunter@aep.com. Please call me if it looks like copying costs will exceed \$200. I can be reached at (512) 481-3328 or legunter@aep.com.

Sincerely,

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